

## **MINUTES, LIMESTONE COUNTY COMMISSION, MARCH 13, 2013**

The Limestone County Commission reconvened the meeting from March 7, 2013 at 10:00 a.m. today at the Washington Street Courthouse Annex, 310 West Washington Street, Athens, AL.

Present: Gary Daly, Steve Turner, James W. "Bill" Latimer, and Ben Harrison. Absent: None. Stanley Menefee, Chairman presided.

Chairman Menefee presented two options for the Jail expansion in which Option A yields 24 cells in 5,500 SF and Option B gives 24 cells and 10,850 SF; which would have shell space so future cells could be added with only interior work. Chairman Menefee and all Commissioners spoke in favor of the Option B to be placed on the March 18<sup>th</sup> agenda.

Chairman Menefee asked the Commissioners to be thinking about a replacement architect for the Courthouse renovation project. There was discussion about plans that have already been paid for by the County.

Chairman Menefee said one of the Atlas Cedar trees at the Courthouse was cut down last Saturday.

Commissioner Latimer asked the Commission to think about where to locate a new building for Community Corrections; L & S property, the old Jail site or another location.

There was discussion about researching the old jail site for the new Community Corrections building. Commissioner Latimer said he would proceed in exploring the old Jail site.

Items were discussed for the March 18, 2013 Agenda.

Adjourned at 10:21 a.m.